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## Channel Islands Perfins

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Two of the Channel Islands, Guernsey and Jersey, have a well-known bovine connection. We collectors, of course, are more interested in their perfins than their cows.

I felt that it was time to organize my Channel Islands perfins which had been housed in several locations. The following chart with comments is an attempt to collect and put in chronological order what has been reported through the years regarding the two largest and most important of the Channel Islands. Much of the following information has been obtained from the Perfin Society Bulletins of April and August 1985, October 191, and August 1992. My material is listed in heavy print.

Hopefully, members of the Perfins Club will make Additions and Corrections to the chart. Illustrations are not available for all of the perfins because they are not in my collection. British catalog numbers have not been used due to the co-existence of two catalogs, one as yet unfinished. To make the arrangement chronological I have divided the material into manageable periods. Kodak types and paid punches have been included.

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### Jersey



Pre World War II British stamps – ‘Jersey’ cancel



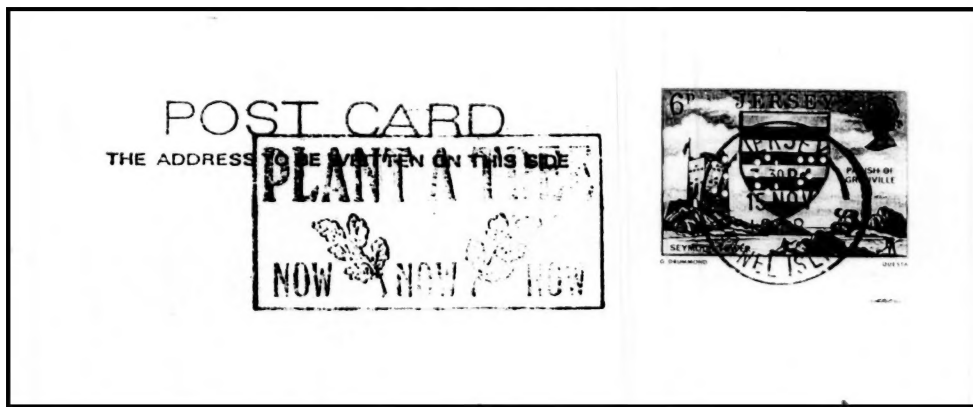
Etats de Jersey



Jersey regional stamp



Jersey Bailiwick stamp



Jersey post card

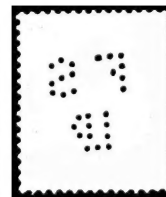
### Guernsey



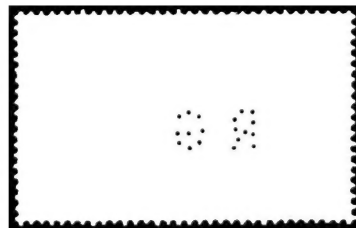
Pre World War II British stamp



Post World War II British stamp



Guernsey cancels



Guernsey Bailiwick stamp

**Guernsey****Jersey**Pre World War II British Stamps

IC/&Co (1908) Inde Coope & Co., Ltd.  
**LS/WR** (9 AU 20) London & South Webster  
Railway

**GDE** (? MY ?) DeGruchy & Co. Ltd  
GWR (1895-97) Great Western Railway

**J/Ex** (JY 1598)  
R&S/M (?) Rylands & Sons  
**S.S** (DE 1 01) Stubbs Mercantile Offices \*1

Revenues

**'PAID'** (1912) 10 chelins Etats de Jersey  
pictoral \*2

German Occupation

1940-1943

1941-1943

G(DE) DeGruchy & Co. Ltd

1945-1957 British Stamps

SI/LD (195?) Spillers Industries Ltd.

OA/GC (1946, 1952) Ocean Accident &  
Guarantee Corp.  
NC/R (1955) National Cash Register  
P.A.C. (?) Prudential Assurance Co.. Ltd. \*3

Channel Islands Regionals 1948 (Scott – Great Britain #269-#270)

G(DE) DeGruchy & Co. Ltd

Post 1957 British Stamps

**FS/LD** (27 NOV 1966) Fuel Suppliers C.I. Ltd.

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SCF (?) Sporting Club Francais

Regionals 1958-1969

**SEP/•/S** Security Endorsement & Perfin  
Society of Great Britain

G(DE) DeGruchy & Co. Ltd  
**SEP/•/S** Security Endorsement & Perfin  
Society of Great Britain

Baliwicks 1969 +

**RG** The Royal Insurance Group

Kodak punch

**JE** (22 NOV 1981) Official? In an  
International Reply Coupon  
**NM** (?) \*4  
**RG** The Royal Insurance Group  
**SCF** (1978) Sporting Club Francais \*5  
Kodak punch

\*1 – Tentatively placed until dates can be determined.

\*2 – Stamps listed in J. Barefoot Ltd., Great Britain Revenues. Inscription indicates French influence.

\*3 - Tentatively placed until dates can be determined.

\*4 – This punch, found on stamps of other countries, is usually accompanied by a date and may be a revenue punch.

\*5 – Post card invitation for K. Addison to play left wing against the 'Magpies' at Maufant on Thursday ?? 26, 1993!